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LR 26

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the twenty-fourth day of the Ninety-Sixth Legislature, First Session. Our prayer this morning will be by the Legislature's Chaplain, Harland Johnson.

HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Harland. We'll call today's business to order. Will the members please record your presence. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Are there any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 68A, (LB) 119A, (LB) 291A, (LB) 293A, as correctly engrossed. I have hearing notices from the Retirement Committee and from the Appropriations Committee. I have a communication from the Speaker regarding referral of LR 29 to Reference for purposes of conducting a public hearing. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (See pages 505-506 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, while the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LR 26. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the first item of business this morning, confirmation report by Retirement Systems. Senator Stuhr's report is found on page 475 of the Journal.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Chair recognizes Senator Stuhr.

SENATOR STUHR: Mr. President and members of the body, the